

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
NASHVILLE DIVISION

SABRINA RECHELLE CORLEY,)
)
 Plaintiff,)
 v.) No. 3:12-CV-01250
)
 WAL-MART,)
) JURY TRIAL
 Defendant.)
 _____) VOLUME IV OF IV

BEFORE THE HONORABLE KEVIN H. SHARP
TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
NOVEMBER 7, 2014

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THE VERDICT

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1 The above-styled cause came on to be heard on
2 November 7, 2014, at 9:25 a.m., before the Honorable Kevin H.
3 Sharp, when the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

4 COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise, please.

5 The United States District Court for the Middle
6 District of Tennessee is now in session, the Honorable Kevin
7 H. Sharp presiding.

8 THE COURT: Thanks. Y'all can be seated. All right.
9 Let's bring the jury in.

10 (Whereupon, the jurors entered the courtroom.)

11 THE COURT: All right. Thanks. Y'all can be seated.
12 All right. Everybody is back. Everybody is rested and ready.
13 Everyone followed my instruction not to talk about the case?
14 All right. So now that I've brought you in here I'm going to
15 send you right back to the room and ask you to continue your
16 deliberations and try to reach a verdict in this case. All
17 right? Okay. Thank you.

18 (Whereupon, the jurors exited the courtroom.)

19 THE COURT: All right. The numbers are still the
20 same? Okay. All right. We'll let you know when we hear
21 something.

22 MR. MCELHANEY: Thank you, your Honor.

23 COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise, please.

24 (Whereupon, a recess was taken from 9:28 a.m. until
25 11:23 a.m.)

1 COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise, please.

2 THE COURT: All right. Thanks. Y'all can be seated.
3 It's my understanding we have a verdict. Let's bring the jury
4 in.

5 (Whereupon, the jurors entered the courtroom.)

6 THE COURT: All right. Thanks. Y'all can be seated.
7 Ms. Worthy, it's my understanding the jury has reached a
8 unanimous decision?

9 JUROR: Yes.

10 THE COURT: Okay. If you can please hand that to the
11 security officer.

12 All right. We, the jury, unanimously answer the
13 question submitted by the Court as follows: One, do you find
14 the defendant to be at fault? Answer, yes. Two, do you find
15 the plaintiff to be at fault? Answer, yes.

16 If you have found both parties to be at fault,
17 considering all the fault at one hundred percent, what
18 percentage of fault do you attribute to each of the parties?
19 Plaintiff 10 percent. Defendant 90 percent.

20 Number Four, decide the amount of damages sustained
21 by the plaintiff. State the amount of damages, if any, you
22 find were sustained by plaintiff. The answer is \$525,000.
23 It's signed by the foreperson and dated.

24 Is that everyone's unanimous decision?

25 THE JURY: Yes.

1 THE COURT: All right. Thank you very much. I
2 appreciate your service. Thank you for coming back again
3 today and putting the effort into it. If you have time and
4 can hang around, I'd like to talk to you afterwards for a few
5 minutes, so if y'all can just stay in the back. Thank you.

6 (Whereupon, the jurors exited the courtroom.)

7 THE COURT: All right. Ms. Corley, your lawyer did
8 one heck of a job. Not to take anything away from
9 Mr. Rowlett, juries do what they do. Everybody heard the
10 evidence. So everyone knows the deadlines for filing motions.
11 If there are any, get them in, and I'll rule on them. All
12 right. Anything else y'all want to talk about?

13 MR. MCELHANEY: No, your Honor.

14 MS. HAGH: Thank you, your Honor.

15 THE COURT: All right. Thank you.

16 COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise, please.

17 (Whereupon, the proceedings were adjourned at 11:27
18 a.m.)

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REPORTERS CERTIFICATE

I, Wynette C. Blathers, Official Court Reporter for the United States District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee, with offices at Nashville, do hereby certify:

That I reported on the Stenograph machine the proceedings held in open court on November 7, 2014, in the matter of SABRINA RECHELLE CORLEY V. WAL-MART, Case No. 3:12-CV-01250; that said proceedings in connection with the hearing were reduced to typewritten form by me; and that the foregoing transcript (Volume IV of IV, Pages 1 through 5) is a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

This the 2nd day of January, 2015.

/s/ Wynette C. Blathers, RMR, CRR
Official Court Reporter